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## FACTS & FANCIES

Frank Fairborn, Jr.

### JUVENILE DELINQUENCY

That has been a big argument with a lot of people the past three years, in about every town in the country except Grimsby, and the surrounding district.

For that matter include the whole Fruit Belt, for juvenile delinquency is only what the people of a town, village or district make it. Fortunately for this whole Fruit Belt, our citizens have controlled it.

Check the records of the police chiefs of Grimsby and Beamsville; of the Provincial Police, Eddie Priest and Teddy Hope; of Mayor Harry Bull's office and Reeve Roy Saunders of Beamsville and see what juvenile delinquency cases you have; not to miss mentioning the offices of Reeve Charles W. Durham of North Grimsby and Robt. Montgomery of Clinton township.

There is not, and has not been, any juvenile delinquency cases in this whole district in the past five years to amount to a pinch of powder that a lady would dab on her cheek. Why?

In the first place, thankfully, the fathers and mothers have done their duty and took the proper care of their children.

In the second place, the district had Old Tom Warner for a lot of years. That statement may sound funny, but it is a fact nevertheless.

I sat in a home the other night and during the course of conversation, Old Tom came to the surface. The young lad of the family, just home from three years overseas, came out bluntly with the remark, "I was a Tom Warner Rink Rat. I never learned any harm. In fact I was kept out of mischief."

"A Tom Warner Rink Rat." I had heard plenty in the past 20 years about Old Tom and His Rink Rats, but still that boy's frank statement made me do a little digging. I found out a lot.

First, I found out that not a boy, no matter what his station in life was, that hung around the Arena under Old Tom's jurisdiction, ever got into any serious trouble. Also that 90 per cent of Old Tom's Rink Rats went overseas, and only physical disabilities stopped the other 10 per cent.

I also find from talking to former Rink Rats, that if they did not learn any good from Old Tom, they certainly did not learn any bad, and every blooming one of them is right proud today to say that they are an old Rink Rat. And folks, if they do not love Old Tom, then I am a gazelle.

The final shot. I learn from investigation that seven of the present fast travelling members of the Peach Kings team, that are undoubtedly going through to the Intermediate "B" O.H.A. championship were Rink Rats under Old Tom.

There is a new crop of Rink Rats at the Arena now. Old Tom is also there, having just received his discharge from the R.C.A.F. after five years service, in his second war. This new crop may get a diff in the ear and a kick in the south end from Old Tom, but not if they do not deserve it. But you can rest assured that they will never land in Bill Turner's hoose-gow, not if Old Tom can help it.

So folks, there is your answer to your juvenile delinquency. Do your job at home and men like Old Tom will do their job away from home. Grimsby and the Fruit Belt can say to themselves "we're lucky."

### STORE DELIVERIES

I understand from Councillor Wm. Mitchell of North Grimsby, that he has had several of his constituents in the west end of the township, below the mountain, question him as to why the stores in Grimsby do not start delivering their goods, again, now that the war is over.

This is a big question, and one that Councillor Mitchell, being an old merchant, gave a lot of thought to before he came and laid the proposition on my desk.

I have been investigating for two weeks. My findings to date are not of such nature that would lead me to believe that the delivery system will ever come back. But, I have not completed the job and made my summary, so I will withhold any decision that I might make, until next week. Still, I do not hold out any hope that the delivery system will ever come back in Grimsby, particularly under price ceilings.

### THIS WATER QUESTION

Reeve Charles W. Durham and his council of North Grimsby, have a problem on their hands with regards the East End water system. Incidentally Mayor Bull and Water Commissioners J. Harry Wells and P. E. Wilkins, have a half a dozen problems on their both hands.

North Grimsby council and Water Commission members met in conclave on Friday night last, to discuss cost of water charges to the township, on the East End system.

For some years the East End system has been paying the Town Commission 26 cents a thousand gallons for water that is metered through a meter that is located at the eastern limits of the town.

As near as can be ascertained this meter has gone "haywire" at different times in the past and as a consequence the township council, as administrators of the East End system, have been called upon by the Grimsby Water Commission to pay for a lot of water that the Township Fathers do not believe had been used, or at least they are unable to trace where it went.

Township council want a reduction in their rate of 26 cents a thousand. Grimsby Commission, faced as they are with exorbitant expenditures within the next two years, over which they have only partial control, cannot see eye to eye with them.

At the same time East End system is only breaking even on their yearly operation and have nothing left for any emergency that might arise.

Councillor Bartlett, who undoubtedly knows his financial figures, brought up a lot of questions out of the Blue Book that is issued by the Department of Municipal Affairs as regards pumping costs, etc., of the Grimsby Commission. He was quite correct in doing so, but by the time that Commissioner Wells got done explaining to him that what he had read in print was not what he supposed it was, he was quite satisfied.

There is no doubt but what East End system has got to have some relief. But just how Grimsby Water Commission, faced as they are with big expenditure, can give them any relief, is beyond my comprehension. To me it just looks like a raise in water rates in the East End.

Water Commission gave Reeve Durham and his council their assurance that they would do the best that they could and would give them a final answer after their February meeting.

YOU FIGURE IT OUT  
"General Kurt Meyer is coming to Canada"—News Item.

"Sixty per cent of German war prisoners want to stay in Canada"—News Item.

Take those two news items and weld them together and what do you get?

Meyer, under his sentence, will not serve better than 20 years. He is a young man. He will be a free man to roam Canada when he is 53 years of age.

Without making it a guessing matter, everyone of those prisoners of war is under 30 years of age. 20 years from now the oldest will only be 50 years old.

If you take 60 per cent of the German prisoners of war, that are in Canada, and let them loose, you will have close to 30,000 Heinies establishing themselves in your country.

They will marry. That is their main point. There will be offspring aplenty. A new German army right in your own midst.

Twenty years from now Kurt Meyer can walk out of any Canadian penitentiary that he has been incarcerated in and take the leadership of a right smart, young German army, right here in Canada, if he is allowed to come to this country to be jailed and 60 per cent of the prisoners of war are allowed to stay in this country.

To me the whole thing is a damn farce. Either shoot this man Meyer or else turn him over to the Russians and let the wolves eat him. Why desecrate the fair name of Canadian fighting men who have "Gone West" by allowing that skunk into the country.

Next, do not let a German prisoner of war loose in this country to do untold harm within the next 25 years. For that is what he will do.

It is all right for a lot of you people to sit back in your easy chairs, sip your toddy and smoke your pipe and say "oh those Germans are not such a bad sort."

Let me tell you something.—You did not spend 19 long, hard, weary months, night and day, hot sun and cold nights, 40 below zero, ice, snow and storms, outside the wire, in the town, in the bush and the brush and on the



These are the figures of meat shipments to the United Kingdom and liberated countries of Europe in 1945:

Bacon	456,554,000 lbs.
Beef	192,170,900 lbs. (carcass weight)
Lamb	4,004,000 lbs.

Mutton 4,005,000 lbs.  
Offals (livers, kidneys, tongues) 9,461,000 lbs.  
Oxtails 808,000 lbs.  
Canned meat 182,340,441 lbs.  
Above picture shows meat shipments on the docks at Halifax.

## 'WAY BACK WHEN

Frank Fairborn, Jr.

The Hamilton Spectator of March 9th, 1910, printed the following news item:

"Last night a cocking main was held in the vicinity of Buffalo, the fight being between Buffalo and Hamilton birds. Many local sports were present and they lost heavily. Hamilton winning but one battle. Inspector Berlinghoff, of the S.P.C.A. says a little bird tipped it off to him that the main was to be held last night, but as the scene of the fight was outside his jurisdiction he was powerless to do anything, in spite of the fact that many of the birds belonged to a coal man. He promises, however, to make it hot for the cockfighters if they try to pull off a main, or even a matinee, in the vicinity of Hamilton."

With all the watchfulness of the Hamilton Inspector that cocking main was pulled off right under his very nose, as practically everybody in Grimsby who was a resident here 35 years ago can verify. The main was held in the big bank barn on the Jack VanDyke farm, just outside the village limits in North Grimsby, (now owned by several) and was attended by everybody in the village and township between the ages of 15 and 85 except the ministers and the magistrate. James M. Wentworth, was manager of the farm for VanDyke and he fed

wind swept reaches of a river with four feet of ice under your feet, guarding German prisoners, and hear their laughs ring in your ears when they tried to put something over on the Old Vets and failed.

Well I did.

Kurt Meyer should never be allowed into Canada and a German prisoner of war should never be released until he is on his own native soil. We want none of them in Canada and particularly in the Fruit Belt.

Toronto and Hamilton are having plenty enough trouble now with four legged rats, why release in the neighborhood of 30,000 two-legged rats to form an army to crucify our own country within the next quarter century.

### TEACHERS AND GROOMS

Grooms at Gulfstream Park, a racetrack near Miami, went on strike not long ago for higher wages—and because the owners didn't dare risk the chance that there might be no horse on the track, the grooms won. They now get \$200 a month, plus sleeping quarters—which is the maximum salary paid to schoolteachers in Dade County, Florida, in which Miami is situated. A columnist in the Miami Herald comments:

The groom, with a minimum salary of \$2,400 a year, doesn't need much education. He does what he's told by the trainer and knows how to cury a horse, apply liniment, bandages. He leads the horse off the track after a race.

To teacher, who must have a college degree, starts at \$1,400 a year and in 10 years can work up to a salary equal to that of the groom. His job is to shape the destinies of the nation, teach the children of America, dress neatly, set a good example, be looked upon as a leader.

Is this typical of civilization? Do we as a people place a higher value on the services of a currier of race horses than on those of the educators of our children? Isn't the situation complained of in Miami practically duplicated almost everywhere: Canada and the United States?

Isn't it high time that we began changing our attitude toward those people who, next to our own parents, exert perhaps the greatest influence on our lives?

Last night I held a little hand  
So dainty and so sweet  
I thought my heart would surely break  
So wildly did it beat.  
No other hand in all the world  
Can greater solace bring  
Than the sweet hand I held last night.  
Four coins and a king.

over 250 people with sandwiches and coffee that night. The main had an aftermath however as someone squealed to Magistrate Forbes and provided him with a list of all the spectators. His worship immediately issued summonses for them, but when he called in Constable James M. Farewell to serve them, found out that even the constable had been at the fight so W. F. Lewis was sworn in as a special cop to do the work. Everybody pleaded guilty to the charge and fines from \$5 and costs to \$25 were imposed, but that is all they were, just imposed, for not one fine out of 50 was ever paid or any attempt made to collect them. I know I still owe His Majesty my fine. But it's outlawed now.

In the good old days when Main street was Main street and not just an integral part of a gigantic traffic network things were different in every way to what they are today. We lived different, worked different, dreamed different and acted different. If you don't think so then read this story about beauty hints and economical old fashioned ones as set forth in an editorial in a big city daily:

"Despite now literary admonishments of possible danger in fighting time with chemical warfare, were there ever so many ways of saving face—so many lotions, hormones, skin diets, muscle firmers, wrinkle smoothers, astrigents, evening bases theatre applications, luncheon creams, showerproof rouges, vanishing eyelashes, cocktail lips, carnage colored talons. What would beauty be in the raw today—in those intervals of plain skin between putting on appearances? From weekly permanent to blazing tinsel, the preparations of the person for public view grows more scientific.

"Rarely in the past did ladies consent to provide for a price their reliance upon beautifiers. Nor was it the custom in more gallant periods to make gifts of remedies for natural defects—no suitors of lace valentine days would have sent his mistress a jar of turtle glands, a neck food or a kiss-proof lipstick. Only in late years has public improvement before a mirror become anything but confession to a bad complexion and bringing up. And yet great-grandma did have her little secrets. Even heroic pioneer mothers knew ways of overcoming lack of conveniences in covered wagons.

"Where there was fire there was soot, and it added most beguiling shadows to brow and lash, giving an Irish sort of upward gaze that can't be bought for \$2. Where there was beet juice there were deep-red lips and tinted cheeks. And, last of all, before an evening party, grandmas had only to blow into the flour barrel in order to apply a harmless but delicate mist of powder. This was done in giggling girlish privacy, for to be a natural beauty then was woman's art. But it was quick, simple, cost nothing—and it worked. The process was poetic, the feminine reserve was aristocratic, and the effect, upon ancestral evidences, was all that could be desired."

While rummaging through some old papers the other day I came across a very interesting old bill, advertising that the young blood horse, "Young Shakespeare," was standing for service in Grimsby for the season of 1902. The spelling of the words in describing the horse is typical of the spelling in vogue in those days, as you will notice that all the words that we now spell with an "S" were then spelled with an "F". The bill is reproduced here:

### The Full Blooded Horse YOUNG SHAKESPEARE

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Young Shakespeare—If a beautiful bay, with a small blaze; half one white foot; if fifteen hands and an half in height; 4 years old this spring; was bred by Judge Bennett, in New Jersey, who certified his pedigree.—"He was got by old black Shakespeare, the noted running horse, his dam by Morick Ball, who was owned by Mr. John Hart, in Pennsylvania where he covered at 54 this season; his granddam by Bully-rock and the flock if much approved by the best breeders in Pennsylvania; New Jersey and New York."

JONATHAN WOOLVERTON  
Grimsby, March 28, 1902.

The property where this horse stood, is situated in the middle of what is now Main street of Grimsby and is surrounded by a thriving hustling town, whereas in those days it was surrounded with woods and Main street was just an Indian trail running from Hamilton to Niagara. This property was held by the Woolverton family for many years, passing into the hands of Jas. A. Livingston in 1880 and now owned by Dr. Gordon Sinclair.

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# BEAMSVILLE NEWS

## Nursing Reserve

A business meeting of the Nursing Reserve was held in the Council Chambers last Thursday afternoon. A general discussion was held with regard to the definite formation of the Reserve, however it will be sometime later that new officers will be installed and a definite program adopted.

## Fair Society Has Money In Bank

The Clinton Agricultural Society held their annual meeting last Thursday at the Council Chambers, with a good percentage of the members present.

Merrill Thompson was elected to the President's chair for 1946, with Vice-presidents being O. D. Davidson and Roy A. Saunders. Other officers installed were: Secretary-treasurer, Lloyd Rouse; Directors: Elmon Cosby, Raymond Comfort, Wilson Ransom, Joseph Romagnolo, John Shelton, R. L. House; Honorary Directors: Leighton McGregor, R. O. Wilson, J. R. Kennedy, C. I. McKellar; Auditors — L. E. Huntman and Lawrence Hippie.

The resignation of Fred Barraclough, who for the past ten years has been acting as secretary-treasurer was regrettably accepted.

A financial report was given and showed receipts totalling \$2,118.64 and expenditures amounting to \$1,450.86. Assets including land and buildings are valued at \$7,380.19. Total liabilities of the Society are \$15.00, membership fees.

It will be recalled that the annual Fair was rained out in 1945, this being the first cancellation in many years of this event. A successful and new venture in the form of a wild west rodeo was a great event in the Society's 1946 program.

## Fireside Hour At Calvary Church

Following the Sunday evening service in Calvary Gospel Church, Jan. 27th, another enjoyable Young People's Fireside Hour was held. The president, Mrs. David Benson opened the service with the hymn, "Showers of Blessing," after which Ruth Flowering led in prayer.

The Scripture Lesson, Romans 12, was read alternately by Eric Clayton and Henry Jansen.

Maryanna Penner and Mary Margaret Baer then entertained with a pleasing piano duet. Two personal testimonies were given by Mrs. Beamer and Viola Tush.

A favorite hymn of Ward Brubaker, "Face to Face" was sung by the Young Peoples. Followed by a number rendered by the Penner sisters.

A message of Consecration was given by Miss M. Lightle, which held an interested audience's attention. The meeting closed with the hymn "I Surrender All," and the closing prayer led by Mary Wrightman.

The next regular Fireside Hour will be held on Feb. 10th, and Rev. Hugh Stewart of Hamilton will be the guest speaker.

A group of Young People from the Beamsville Calvary Church, attended a special Y.P. rally held in Niagara Falls Monday night.

The speaker was Rev. S. Board of Park Road Tabernacle, Toronto, who spoke on the "Little Things of Life."

Miss Riley of Wentworth Baptist Church, Hamilton was the guest soloist.

A number of young people from the Niagara District also took part in the interesting and constructive rally.

## Beamsville W.I.

With a total of twenty-two in play, another successful Euchre party was held by the Beamsville Woman's Institute last Wednesday night at the Community Hall.

Winners for the evening were: Ladies high: Mrs. Gordon Philip; Ladies low: Mrs. E. Richards; Men's High: Mr. Joe Filio; Men's low: Mr. Joe Terryberry.

Additional prizes were awarded to Mr. Wm. Astle holder of the lucky tally card, and to Mrs. Jason Smith, a chair prize was given. The next euchre to be held by the W. I. will be on the 13th of February, and prizes are being formulated to make it somewhat of a Valentine party.

## Vestry Meeting At St. Alban's

With Rev. E. A. Mansfield rector of St. Alban's Church presiding, the annual vestry meeting of the Church was held on January 26th.

Financially the past year was successful according to reports given at the meeting by the different organizations.

F. H. Byles and R. L. Caudwell were elected Wardens. L. G. Ridley was appointed delegate of the synod, with G. V. Cooke as alternate delegate.

W. D. Fairbrother will act as convener of aidmen.

The advisory board will consist of: W. D. Fairbrother; Col. William Andrews; G. V. Cooke; and two representatives of the Women's Auxiliary.

S. J. Wilson and Fred Barraclough will be auditors of 1946.

## News From BEAMSVILLE High School

by Little Whiz

Hi, gang, here I am again, and I have simply oodles of news this week. The opera, of course is the centre of interest, and will be for this week. Numerous—and I mean numerous—practices are being held. The Sunday afternoon practice had some competition in the form of the U.S.A. Its with tears in my eyes, that I must tell you that four of our little pupils scampered around on American soil instead of treading over the Community Hall stage. To counteract this we had a female member of the cast who came home from "distant lands" in order to be present at said practice.

"Mike" is still playing a major role and I understand that he has had a bus ride since I last talked to you—nice going Mike, even if three does make a crowd and you were the third.

The plot, and we must have a plot in a opera—Is different this year. From all I hear it is staged in the Western atmosphere—a touch of the wide open spaces. Romance with all its complications is the order of the day, and the music is very "catchy."

That was a nice party at Jordan Harbour on Saturday night, its too bad that the little gal who dreamed up the affair couldn't be present.

The sale of tickets of Friday morning was beyond our wildest dreams. The ticket-selling department was really rushed, and the possibility was pushed well into the background. The pupils stood in line quite willingly, tho' I wonder if it could have had anything to do with missing a bit of schooling. Perish the thought—why then all love to go to school, and I should know, seeing as how I am with you there each day.

Don't forget the big night coming up this Saturday. First we are having an exhibition basketball game, with the Beamsville Grads running opposition to the present school team. This will be followed by dancing and refreshments will be served. Its going to be a real affair so don't miss it. See you there gang.

## Fender Jammed at Mountain View Junction

A vehicle operated by A. M. Byles of R.R. No. 3 Beamsville, met in combat with another vehicle operated by Howard Dawe, Ontario St. Beamsville, at the intersection of Mountain View Road and Green Lane Monday afternoon.

It is alleged that the Byles vehicle failed to make a stop at the intersection and caught the left rear fender of the Dawe auto. The latter then turning around at least once and coming to a stop about twenty yards from the scene of the impact. The Byles car skidded into a ditch on the south-east side of the junction.

Provincial Constable E. O. Hope who investigated the mishap, states that ice conditions may have been the cause of the accident. Damage was estimated at approximately \$200.00.



Major General A. E. Walford, C.B.E., M.M., E.D., Adjutant-General of Canada, is pictured above in a recent portrait. (Canadian Army Photo)

## Stuff 'Round Town

by GORD MARGOR

Looks like the B.H.V.S. annual Commencement is going to play to packed houses again this year. There are still a few seats left for both night's but they are going but fast. The plan for seating opened last Friday morning at the drug store, and the line-up was really something.

The staff and students of B.H.S. have been working overtime, getting this years opera titled "Jerry of Jerich Road" ready for the opening, and as usual the cast is pessimistic about the outcome of the play. They always are. But comes the opening, and everything goes off fine. Next week we'll give you a look into the real story behind these B.H.V.S. Commencement exercises. Not so much the actual play, but the facts, and the toil that goes into the making of this annual affair which has become the biggest attraction of the year in town.

The Beamsville and District Lions Club are throwing another old time dance on February 8th. The "do" will be in the hall as per usual, and the old master of the square dance, Eph Sloe and his wandering group of musicians will make with the five a 1 1812.

Wonder what happened to those new lights that were SUPPOSED to be installed at the local rink. Granted material is hard to get, but an ordinary string of bulbs would be better than nothing.

Heard some genabout a big show that might come off sometime in February seems as how it will feature all local talent, and there's plenty of it. Glad somebody finally got the idea, its about time. To often the citizens have been asked to pay good money to see a group of corny entertainers brought to town from the city. In our locality that's not necessary. Hope the idea goes through.

## Beamsville Men's Bowling League

Friday, January 25—

Blackhawks — 89 702 670—1

Lions — 797 876 773—3

Monday, January 28—

Lions — 88 790 780—3

Faithful V — 747 701 807—1

Jordan — 880 912 841—3

Beginners — 813 900 771—1

Dairy — 566 598 630—0

Hornets — 612 825 707—4

Bowling this Friday will be the Blackhawks and the Lakeshore.

Monday, Feb. 4th see the Lions vs. the Hornets. Wildcats vs. Faithful Five. Jordan and the Blackhawks. Hydro tangle with the Lincolnaires. A case of a default please notify the president or secretary of the league.

## Beamsville Wins

Beamsville continued on its merry way in the P.B.L. weekly shiny contests at the Arena, taking the Winona Rangers by a five to two count.

Two play was well balanced, with both teams putting plenty of stuff into the encounter. The Beamsville team having just a bit more on the ball in the pinches.

Summary—1st period. Beamsville—Lancelle (Moore), Beamsville—Locke (Konkle), Winona—Fisher (unassisted), Beamsville—Lucy (unassisted).

2nd period. Beamsville—Filio (Moore).

3rd period. Beamsville—Morris (Lancelle), Winona—Fowler (Fisher), Beamsville—Beamsville—Lucy and Konkle; Winona—Fisher.

Referee—Rev. E. A. O'Donnell.

There may be changes in military but brass hats will be with us always.

Some men say what they think but many of them don't think what they say.

## Trinity United Is Free Of Debt

It was announced at the Annual Meeting of the Trinity United Church, held on January 23, that the debt for the building has been repaid, with the exception of two loans, each of these being a loan of two hundred dollars, and loaned by two organizations within the Church. So that it is possible to report that the debt has been cleared off.

Satisfactory financial reports were given by the various church organizations, and following this, appointments for 1946 were made. Officers for the year will be Messrs: W. J. Buchanan; L. B. Tufford; R. H. Potter; Geo. Shepherd; C. I. McKellar; C. W. Buck; F. J. Thomson.

Board of Stewards: Geo. Seymour; F. J. Thomson; Geo. Shepherd; D. B. Mountain; Chas. Wilcox.

Members of the Session: Geo. Bator; E. N. Comfort; C. Russell; C. V. Blatchford; C. Blackmore; Chas. Hippie.

Secretary—Donald Jory. Press Representative—J. G. McGregor.

## Badminton

St. George's Badminton Club of t. Catharines were guests of the Beamsville Club in tournament play Tuesday night, and the St. George Club were winners on the evenings play, ending up with a lead of three sets. Twenty nine sets were played, sixteen going to St. George and thirteen to the Beamsville Club.

The Men's Doubles saw seven of the nine sets go to Beamsville, while the St. George Doubles. St. George's however won nine of the fifteen mixed doubles. Scores are as follows:

Ladies Doubles. Shafer-Abbott vs. Scott-Clement 15-7, 9-15, 13-18. Davis-Bouchard vs. Orr-Orr; 3-15, 15-8, 6-15. Fleming-Barracough vs. Toque-Moore; 10-15, 7-15. McLaren-Roland vs. Tanner-Prado; 7-15, 10-15. Brown-Robertson vs. Johnson-Moyer; 15-12, 13-15, 8-15.

Mixed Doubles. Merritt-Hewitt vs. T. Orr-Sloot; 15-12, 15-8. Juhike-Boyd vs. Tanner-Moore; 15-4, 15-1, Shafer-Harvey vs. McKennie-Maybee; 15-10, 15-15, 15-6. Welch-Rutherford vs. Roddick-Wilson; 10-15, 15-3, 11-15. Bartlett-Sherwood vs. Algure-Algure; 15-7, 15-3. Howey-Dawe vs. Ruddick-Wilson; 4-15, 5-15. Fleming-McGregor vs. Algure-Algure; 15-4, 15-6. Boyd-Juhike vs. McDermott-Moore; 15-5, 15-5. Merritt-Howey vs. Tanner-Maybee; 15-8, 15-8.

Shaffer-Boyd vs. Orr-Orr; 15-12, 15-16. Abbott-Juhike vs. McDermott-Moore; 15-12, 15-8. Davis-Hewitt vs. Sloot-Clement; 7-15, 15-8, 15-8. Abbott-Merritt vs. McKennie-Toque; 15-5, 15-6. Bouchard-Fleming vs. Maybee-Prado; 15-4, 15-2. McLaren-Shafer vs. Tanner-Tanner; 7-15, 7-15. Harvey-Barracough vs. Wilson-Sloot; 11-15, 8-15. Roland-Welch vs. Algure-Orr; 11-15, 15-13, 9-15. Robertson-Rutherford vs. Ruddick-Moyer; 7-15, 15-5, 10-15. Shafer-Bartlett vs. Algure-Johnson; 15-6, 15-7. Topp-Sherwood vs. Moore-Moyer; 8-15, 10-15. Brown-Howey vs. McKennie-Tanner; 4-15, 5-15. Davis-Dawe vs. Algure-Orr; 15-10, 4-15, 12-15. Fleming-McGregor vs. Sloot-Clement; 3-15, 10-15. Bouchard-Howey vs. Ruddick-Sloot; 9-15, 6-15.

Smile: As dead as the demand for sale of Main Kampf.

## Beamsville Girls Bowling League

Ruth Miln took command of the situation during last week's bowling activities, and besides rolling the high single for the night, a neat 218, Mrs. Miln now holds the high double with 473, and the high average of 178.

Results as follows:  
Happy Gang — 557 794 1  
Spittires — 565 584 1  
Lawn Bowlers — 716 787 2  
Business Girls — 663 713 0  
Aces — 804 783 1  
Merry Macs — 739 794 1

Standing as of Saturday, January 26:  
Aces — 22  
Spittires — 17  
Happy Gang — 16  
Lawn Bowlers — 14  
Merry Macs — 13  
Business Girls — 3

Ten high bowlers on their years bowling now looks something like this:

Ruth Miln — 179  
Doris Ransom — 174  
Ev. Robbie — 168  
Marg. Tufford — 168  
Dorothy Burton — 162  
Jean Reid — 160  
Polly Burton — 159  
Norma Sterling — 158  
Doris Birdsell — 158  
Marg. Foster — 156

A writer says the way to keep up with the world is to take several catnaps a day. But it's moving so fast it will pass you by if you close one eye.

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# Social Events — Personals — Organizations — Club Activities

Canadian Legion dance in Masonic Hall, next Wednesday. Eight piece orchestra. Refreshments.

Mrs. Margaret Foster who has returned to England to live, has arrived safely at her old home at Farnley.

Mrs. E. Hyland of Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. MacBride, Adelaide Street.

Group Captain H. R. Dowle, O.B.E., and Mrs. Dowle and their daughters, Peggy and Patricia, formerly of Winnipeg, have taken up residence in Grimsby.

Earl J. and Mrs. Marsh, George and Mrs. Marr, Kenneth and Mrs. Baxter, Clarence W. Lewis and Jack Fuddicombe are in Quebec City this week attending a convention of wholesale and retail fruit dealers.

Mrs. Cecil Gowland spent the weekend in Windsor, as a guest at the dinner dance and reception held in honour of Mrs. Doris Wanless, worthy Grand Matron, and Mrs. Jean Wright, Grand Chaplain, Order Eastern Star of Ontario.

A first Anniversary wedding party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Lucy, Oak street, for Mr. and Mrs. Guy Winter. Guests were present from Port Dover, St. Catharines and Hamilton. A very enjoyable evening was had by all.

The Ways and Means Committee of the Women's Auxiliary of the West Lincoln Memorial Hospital, are holding a St. Valentine's tea at the home of Mrs. E. D. Millyard, 28 St. Andrew's Avenue, on Friday, February 15th, afternoon and evening.

Captain Grace McNeill of Hamilton, Officer in Command of the C.W.A.C. Band, which has been touring England, Holland and Germany, has arrived in Canada on the Ile de France. Capt. McNeill is a sister of Robert McNeill of 23 Elm Street.

Ukrainian Dramatic Club of St. Catharines will give a grand concert in Trinity Hall on Thursday evening next, February 7th.

Mrs. Harold Whiteside is convalescing at her home in Grimsby, following an operation at the Grimsby General Hospital for acute appendicitis.

Norman and Mrs. Godden, Detroit and Charles Teeter of Niagara Falls, N.Y. were in town over the weekend attending the funeral of Mrs. Nora Godden.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles, Brooklyn, N.Y. were at their cottage at the Beach for a few days last week. Wm. and Mrs. Charles are now at the cottage where they will remain for the winter.

## Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Walter May, St. Mary's, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Gertrude Marie, Reg. N., to Allan James Cochran, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. John Cochran, Pembroke. The marriage is to take place the latter part of February.

## St. John's Choir

St. John's Presbyterian Church Choir held their annual meeting on Tuesday, Jan. 23 at the home of Mrs. A. Stevenson. There was a short choir practice, then Rev. F. McAvey opened the meeting. Miss Mary Crittenden was in the chair. Some business was attended to then Rev. F. McAvey conducted the Election of Officers.

President Mrs. C. Terryberry; 1st Vice President, Mrs. H. G. McGoy; Secy-treas. Mrs. Andrew Stevenson; Miss Funn Conventor; Miss Jean Durham; Assistant Conventor, Miss Isabel Stevenson; Music committee, Fred Reiss; Mistresses of Robes, Mrs. D. E. Anderson; Miss May Crittenden.

A vote of thanks was given the retiring President Miss Crittenden, for her faithfulness and competence during her term of office.

## Trinity United Church

W. J. Watt, B.A., B.D., Pastor.  
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 3rd  
11 a.m. — The Church's One Foundation.  
7 p.m. — The Law of Life.  
Sunday School at 2:30 p.m. in Trinity Hall

## St. John's Presbyterian Church

Rev. F. McAvey, B.A., B.Th. Minister.  
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 3rd  
11 a.m. — "The Cross and the World."  
2:30 — Sunday School.  
7 p.m. — "The Manly Appeal." Annual Meeting Friday, Feb. 1st, at 8 p.m.

## Gospel Hall

Adelaide St., Grimsby  
LORD'S DAY  
Breaking of Bread — 11 a.m.  
Sunday School — 9 p.m.  
Gospel Meeting — 7 p.m.  
Wednesday  
Prayer Meeting and Bible Reading, 8 p.m.  
— All Welcome —

## Grimsby Baptist Church

R. C. Standerwick, B.A., B.D., Pastor.  
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 3rd  
10 a.m. — Church School for All.  
11 a.m. — "A Man of Faith."  
7 p.m. — "The Glory of the Cross."  
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## I.O.D.E.

Mrs. E. A. Buckenham was re-elected regent of Lincoln Loyalist Chapter, I.O.D.E., by acclamation at the annual nomination meeting held Monday afternoon, and Mrs. Brock Snyder was returned to office as treasurer, also by acclamation. Nominations for the other officers will be voted on at the next regular business meeting.

Miss Ann Crane, convener of war services committee, reported that 66 Christmas boxes had been sent to local men still overseas. Miss Crane offered the use of her home and sewing machine in connection with the I.O.D.E. post-war program of work.

Mrs. L. A. Bromley was thanked for the work she had done in sending out 200 letters of greeting to all service personnel from Grimsby and North Grimsby.

Mrs. A. W. Mason, recently moved to Grimsby from Grimsby, where she was regent of the Grimsby Chapter for several years, was accepted into the local chapter.

All committee conveners reported on activities since the last meeting, in November.

## St. John's W.M.S.

The 32nd Annual meeting of the Hamilton Presbyterian Society of the Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church was held in St. John's Church Hamilton on January 22nd and 23rd.

Mrs. W. H. Morris of Grimsby attended sessions both days and Mrs. J. H. Dick and Mrs. Andrew Stevenson attended Wednesday afternoon.

The speaker on Wednesday was Miss Beattie McMurtry, a nurse from Jobat Hospital in the Hill district in India, who flew from Ottawa on Wednesday morning in order to be in time for the closing sessions. She gave illustrations from her work as a nurse, as to how the missionary funds were used, and told how even the smallest sum was of real use in India. Dr. Wm. Barclay conducted the installation of officers for 1946, and Mrs. Andrew Stevenson was installed as District President.

## Girl Guides

WEST LINCOLN DIVISION  
It is now two years since our Guiding groups had an opportunity for some training, and a short course has been arranged for February 5th and 6th. It will be conducted by Mrs. M. Hewitt—Blue Cord Diploma'd Guide from Toronto. The following course has been arranged:

Tuesday, February 5th.  
4:15 p.m. Brownies — Trinity Hall Grimsby.  
7:00 p.m. Guides — Trinity Hall Grimsby.

Wednesday, February 6th.  
4:15 p.m. Guides — Grimsby Beach School.  
7:30 p.m. Fruitland Guides — Trinity United Church, Beamsville.

Guides, Brown and Tawny Owls are invited to attend any of these Company Meetings as observers. It is hoped later in the spring to plan a week-end, or a two-day camp-training for Guides and Patrol Leaders.

## Annual Meeting Baptist Church

Good financial reports were presented by all organizations of the church at the annual congregational meeting of the Grimsby Baptist Church on Wednesday evening last, with \$4,000.20 having been raised for the church and \$936.31 for missions.

Besides these, \$312.50 has been raised towards the Crusade Pledge of \$682; \$28.50 for the British and Foreign Bible Society; for Temperance Federation, \$29.45; also from the vacation Bible school, \$8 to the China Inland Mission.

The following officers were elected: Miss Greta Ormiston, church treasurer; Arnold Judd, missionary treasurer; Mrs. Armstrong, communion fund treasurer.

Deacons are: E. D. Colpitts, William Bengough, Arnold Judd, J. L. Pettit and Jack Morris honorary deacons, Isaiah Piott; board of management, property committee, A. P. Norton, L. Simpson, Miss Greta Ormiston, J. Kozicki, Fred Oakes, Milton Morris, Albert Dipper, P. Hill and C. H. Walker; ushers, Albert Dipper, M. Piott, Donald Dipper, Arthur Parsonage, M. Nelson, Arnold Judd, C. H. Walker, J. Kozicki; organist, Miss Greta Ormiston; choir leader, Mrs. F. Simpson; organ committee, Fred Oakes and Albert Norton; flower committee, Miss Vanetta Stuart, Mrs. Harold Headlip, Mrs. Lloyd Pettit; auditors, Alex Gillespie and Mrs. William Bengough.

## Welcome



From Wednesday noon, January 23rd, to Wednesday noon, January 30th, there were seven births at West Lincoln Memorial Hospital, five girls and two boys. You will note from the names that the five little girls were all named Mary. Why not name the next girl baby Douglas. Both boys were named John. Why not Alexander for the next one.

January 24th—Mary Prudhomme, daughter of George and Mrs. Prudhomme, Beamsville.

January 24th—John Monaghan, son of James and Mrs. Monaghan, Jr. Grimsby.

January 25th—John Herbel, son of Wm. and Mrs. Herbel, Grimsby Beach.

January 25th—Mary Jones, daughter of C. and Mrs. Jones, R.R. No. 1, Beamsville.

January 25th—Mary Metcalfe, daughter of Ralph and Mrs. Metcalfe, R.R. No. 1, Grimsby.

January 25th—Mary Bowman, daughter of J. and Mrs. Bowman, R.R. No. 2, Beamsville.

January 26th—Mary Moffatt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Moffatt, Livingston Avenue, Grimsby. This baby is the first Grimsby baby to be born at the new hospital.

## Grimsby Red Cross



The East End Branch, Red Cross Society will gather at the home of Mrs. Andrew J. Graham, Main Street East, on Monday, February 4th, at 2:30 p.m. All interested, kindly attend.

## Annual Meeting Fifty Church

The annual congregational meeting of Fifty United Church was held Monday night with Rev. G. E. Morrow as chairman, and J. B. Van Dusen, secretary of the meeting.

Officers appointed were as follows: Elders (for three years), J. E. Payne, David Jacobs; stewards (for two years), Horace Cocke, Neil McDougall, A. B. Doughty and Howard Boyer; secretary of the congregation, J. B. Van Dusen.

Gratifying reports were given from all the organizations showing \$2,090 raised, including \$600 for missions. The meeting was preceded by a pot luck supper under the convener'ship of Mrs. A. B. Doughty.

## Boy Scouts

The meeting opened on Monday night with the scouts marching by patrol to the Assembly hall of the Grimsby High School from the locker room.

They were divided into two groups; one for tenderfoots and the other for the boys who knew signalling.

After that a talk on Scouts in Europe was given by the assistant scout master Earl Looy, who has seen the work of the scouts in France, Holland and Belgium.

A skit was put on by Allan Boleley and Bernard MacMillan who were two comedians who told jokes such as—"I love you. Ouch" "I love you. Ouch." And there you have the story in a nutshell, of two porcupines necking.

The meeting closed with Teddy Robinson and David Todd who carried the flags from the middle to the outside of the horse-shoe while the troop entered the flags.

No wonder baseball is the national pastime. It's a game mostly of strikes.

## Vinemount News

The Vinemount Women's Institute is sponsoring a teen age cabaret in the W.I. hall every Saturday evening from 8 to 11, beginning Saturday evening, February 2nd. Mrs. Stuart Jeffries has kindly volunteered to take charge of games etc. for our young people. A cordial invitation is extended to all girls and boys. Membership fee 10c. Weekly fee 10c.

The local W.I. held a euchre and dance in the W.I. hall on Thursday evening. Prize winners were Miss Stella Krick, Madamess William Wilson, Alway Watt, Mauna, Murray Jackson, Robert Watt, Clyde Travis. Music was supplied by the Red Hill Ramblers.

The congregational meeting of Tapscott United Church was held Wednesday evening in the church. Officers elected are as follows: Elders, Frank Tweedie, F. Maffey, Charles Purry; stewards, Cecil Tweedie, Leslie Thomas, Edson Cline, John Top; parsonage board, Cecil Tweedie, Philip Krick; secretary-treasurer, Evelyn Duck-er; choir leader, Edgerton Cline; organists, Doris and Reita Thomas. The following are the officers of the Sunday school: Honorary superintendent, F. Maffey; superintendent, Philip Krick; assistant superintendent, Frank Tweedie; secretary-treasurer, Evelyn Duck-er; assistant secretary-treasurer, Gladys Tweedie; organists, Doris and Reita Thomas and Muriel Downlaugh.

The regular meeting of the Y.P.A. of the United Church was held at the home of Robert Stares. The president, George Krick, presided. Games were led by Don Fowler, Gladys Tweedie and Reita Thomas. The hostess was assisted by Helen Krick and Bobby Staples.

## Obituary

**VALMER O. MERRITT**  
Valmer Orton Merritt, Calator township farmer, passed away Monday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Curtis Swayze, after a long-ly illness.

A son of the late Valmer and Anahela Merritt, he was in his 67th year and was born in Calator. He was a member of Ker United Church.

Surviving are three brothers, Benson Merritt, Calator township, and John and Frank Merritt, of Grimsby; also his sister, Mrs. Swayze, at Caledonia.

Funeral will be held from the home of his brother, Benson, this Thursday afternoon, with service in Ker Church. Burial will be made in Ker Church Cemetery.

## MRS. H. GODDEN

Following a lingering illness Mrs. Holden Godden, the former "Mrs. Teeter," passed away at her home, Grimsby Beach, on Thursday last.

In her 66th year, she was born at Grimsby and had lived in the district all her life.

She is survived by three sons, Roy and Charles, of Grimsby, and Norman of Detroit; two daughters, Miss Beatrice Godden, of Grimsby, and Mrs. Edith McGuire, of St. Catharines; also two sisters, Mrs. James Gowland, Grimsby and Mrs. Elizabeth Worsnop, of Winnipeg, and one brother, Charles Teeter, Niagara Falls, N.Y.

Her husband predeceased her several years ago.

The funeral was held from her old home on Saturday afternoon.

with Dr. Neil Leslie conducting service.

Casket bearers were Norman and Lorne Todd, Wray Betts, Stanley Gilling, George Swayze and Frank Bentley.

## Births

**MOFFATT** — At West Lincoln Memorial Hospital on Saturday, January 26, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Guy Moffatt a daughter, Margaret Victoria. A sister for Kay and David.

## Card of Thanks

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our friends who expressed their kind words of sympathy during our recent bereavement and to those who so kindly loaned cars.

Mrs. W. H. Gagne and family

We wish to express our sincere

thanks and appreciation to our many friends who were so kind to us during the loss of our beloved Mother, also for the beautiful floral offerings, and to those who so gladly loaned their cars.

Also special thanks to Rev. Leslie, and the nurses, Miss E. Culp, Miss E. Dempster and Mrs. H. Campbell.

Beatrice and Charlie and Norman Godden.

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Mrs. J. Alex Campbell	Jan. '47	Barrie	Jan. '47
E. C. Nelson	May. '47	W. E. Burke	Jan. '47
Hartney, Max		Grimsby	Jan. '47
R. A. Eaton	Sept. '46	Harold Gervand	Dec. '46
Grimsby		Grimsby	Jan. '47
Mrs. Fred Dusk	Dec. '46	H. R. Dowle	Jan. '47
Grimsby		Mrs. G. W. Berry	Jan. '47
W. Schott	Dec. '46	Hamilton	Jan. '47
Grimsby Beach		A. N. Rutherford	March '47
Wm. Mitchell	Jan. '47	Chalk River	
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Mrs. Kenneth Nelson	Jan. '47		
Grimsby			

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**BREVITIES**

**EVENTS and TOPICS of the WEEK in TABLOID**

Lions Club meets next Tuesday night.

Will the groundhog see his shadow on Saturday.

Board of Education meets next Wednesday night.

Canadian Legion dance, Masonic hall, next Wednesday night.

Town Tax Collector Fred Jewson is now accepting pre-payment of 1946 taxes.

Of interest to all earnest minded citizens is the Annual Meeting of Grimsby Branch of The Upper Canada Bible Society, being held in St. Andrew's Parish Hall, next Sunday evening, Feb. 3rd at 8.15.

Two Winona boys were among the servicemen who returned home this week on the Ile de France. They were Pte. A. M. Kelson of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders and Pte. W. Oker of the R.C.A.S.C.

A. Hewson and Son have been appointed exclusive agents for Grimsby and district for Livingston Automatic Stokers and Livingston Automatic Oil Heaters. They will be pleased to have their engineer make a survey of your home and give you estimates on the installation and heating costs of either unit.

Negligence caught up with some 46 residents of Fort Erie last week when they were obliged to hand out \$5.00 each, plus costs, to the police coffers yesterday afternoon charged with failing to procure their 1945 radio licenses. The round-up followed a recent government checkup in Fort Erie, and the total fined is the largest in that area since the enforcement of the radio license law.

The organization of the newly created School Area on the mountain is progressing very satisfactorily. Peter Marlowe is the first chairman of the newly elected board of trustees and Gordon Metcalfe is the new secretary. Two meetings have already been held. The meetings are held in a different school section every meeting night, thus giving ratpayers in each section an opportunity of attending and bearing the discussion.

Grimsby Water Commission and employees had plenty of grief the latter part of last week. Slush ice at the lake clogging the intake pipe was the trouble. Things looked mighty serious for three days, but on Monday the lake started clearing and by Tuesday morning the flow of water into the intake was back to normal. Fine co-operation existed between the Commission factories, outdoor risks, the Arena and other large users of water who curtailed their consumption to a minimum and in some cases entirely.

**In Memoriam**

**RICHARDSON**—In loving memory of Nellie, wife of John, who passed away on March 25th, 1942. Also William C. Richardson, son of above, who fell asleep February 3rd, 1945.

The Oceans lie between us, You are always in my thoughts from Dad.

**Much Cruelty To Horses Reported**

The Ontario Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals has been receiving an increasing number of complaints of abuse and cruelty in cases of horses waiting to be slaughtered for fox meat. If this meat is to be used for this purpose, there must be no fat on it, and hence many are using this as an excuse for unnecessary neglect and consequent cruelty.

In an open letter, the Ontario Society states that it intends to prosecute to the fullest extent of the law any person who will neglect horses obtained for the purpose of killing for fox meat, or any other fur bearing animal. These animals should be fed normally with hay, all they require until they are destroyed. It is a criminal offence not to feed them sufficiently all the time, and quite unnecessary as far as the use of the meat for foxes is concerned. The same requirement holds so far as proper shelter for the animals during the period prior to slaughtering is concerned. These horses must be cared for in every way, and any neglect in doing so is a contravention of Item 543 of the Criminal Code.

The penalty for failure to comply with the requirements of the law is a fine of five hundred dollars or one year imprisonment, with or without hard labor.

The average small boy has a thirst for knowledge. He wants to learn how to read so he can enjoy the funny papers.



**REAL ESTATE**

Robert Dent, a returned serviceman, has purchased the two houses and lots at 12 and 13 John St., from John Stadelman.

**Around The GRIMSBY High School**

JANIE

**Baseball**  
Girls games—The G.H.S. Jr. team are: B. Byford, J. Durham, H. McLean, M. Schwera, I. Stevenson, S. Graham, J. DeLaplanche, M. Milyard, L. Weninger, R. Powell, P. Dowle, J. Higgins.

At Waterdown, January 18, the winning points were scored by Jean Durham (8) Joyce Marlowe (4); Isabel Stevenson (2). The game was played fast with good team play on both sides. The final score was 11-8 in favour of Grimsby.

The G.H.S. Senior team are: M. Gracy, S. Cornwell, J. Marlow, A. Jeffries, E. Brownlee, D. Metcalfe, M. Pognacher, P. Thompson, W. Morris, J. Greig.

The Dundas Sr. team: J. Caughell, J. Layden, G. Scott, P. Cliff, J. Moffat, P. McElligott, D. Mac Kay, C. King, L. McAllister, W. Taylor.

The game at Dundas on Jan. 25 was well played except that the G.H.S. forwards couldn't get the ball into the basket. The points scored were as follows: G. H.S. Joyce Marlow (7), Alison Jeffries (9), M. Gracy (4), Dundas—Joan Coughell (15), Jean Layden (8), Pat Cliff (1), June Moffat (2). The final score was 26-30 in favour of Dundas.

The Dundas Juniors are: M. Robbins, P. Hartwell, J. Jeffery, E. Webster, N. Hanna, J. Hind, M. Stock, B. Dixon, M. Manson, M. Bootby, L. Stout. The points were scored by J. Durham (4), B. Byford (2), H. MacLean (2), M. Schwera (2), S. Graham (2), Dundas—Marg. Robinson (6), Phyl. Harwell (8), June Jeffery (8). The final score was 22-12 in favour of Dundas.

**Boy Games**  
The Jr. Grimsby line-up is composed of: L. Lindensmith, D. Mogg, A. McPherson, L. Zimmerman, J. Paine, L. Jones, D. Catton. The Waterdown line-up is: Harvey, Bernie, Scrutton, Werks, Moore, Sauli, Horn Perko, Clodt, Wolley. On Jan. 18 the game was held at Waterdown and those who scored for Grimsby were: McPherson (6), Zimmerman (2), Panche (4), Walters, Sauli (6), Harvey (4), Perb (4). Final score 19-16 in favour of Waterdown.

The game last Friday evening at A.H.S. between Grimsby Jr. and Dundas Jr. ended with a score of 18-12 for Dundas. The game was slow but Dundas played well. Dundas players were: Simpson, Robinson, Mitchell, Scott, Lang, Sumnerase, Begin, Stanlin. G.H.S. scorers were Zimmerman (5), McPherson (2), Panche (2), Jones (2) Catton (1).

**Around the School**  
The G.H.S. choir is working hard preparing to enter the Annual Kiwanis Festival in Toronto on Wednesday, Feb. 13 at 8 p.m.

The films for this week are: "Brail," "Breaching," and a technical production of "Arctic Thrill."

Mrs. Edna Grant of the W.C.T.U. visited the school Friday and gave an interesting and informative talk on temperance. Mrs. J. Aikens accompanied her.

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**TO WHOM:** NOTICE is hereby given that the list of lands now liable to be sold for arrears of assessments or taxes in the Town of Grimsby has been prepared, and is published in The Ontario Gazette on the 2nd day of November, 1945.

In default of payment of taxes and costs as shown on such list, on or before Wednesday, the 6th day of February, 1946, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, I shall at the said time and at the Council Chambers in the said Town of Grimsby proceed to sell by public auction the said lands or such portion thereof as shall be necessary to pay such arrears together with the costs thereon.

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# SPORTOLOGY

(By Bones Livingston, Sportologist)

**THE LAST HOME STAND**—Friday night will be the last opportunity that fans and fannettes will have of seeing the PEACH KINGS in action in group games. It is their last home stand in the group, before the playoffs start. HAGERSVILLE will be the opposing team and to date they are the only team that have been even able to hold the KINGS to a tie. They succeeded in doing this trick on their own hand-bus rink playing a type of bush league hockey that would even baffle a big league pro team. As a matter of fact the KINGS were lucky to get out of the south country town with a tie. The game tomorrow night should be a whizzer because despite their crude style of play the HAGERSVILLE outfit cannot be monkeyed with. It is bound to be a good game so do not miss it.

**THE HERMIT OF WINONA**—Know who that is. Well, he is the one and only HARVEY DUNDONALD WALKER. He brewed into the Sanctum Sanctorum the other morning and at his back was TOM COLLINS. Between the pair of them, not talking in the deaf and dumb alphabet they gave me to understand that WINONA was in hockey for sports sake and were busily engaged in training many potential Senior O.H.A. and N.H.L. players. They also claim that by the time the end of the season comes that the WINONA WILDCATS will be sitting on top of the world in the FRUIT BELT league. From hockey they jumped to politics and now I know that the day is not far distant when several present day members of the WINONA YOUNG MEN'S CLUB will be members of parliament in fact they already have one spotted for the Prime Ministers job. All right HERMIT if it is O.K. with you, it is double O.K. with me.

**HERE, THERE AND EVERYWHERE**—Nearly got killed in the crash at that Paris game when I was wending my way to get a cup of lawfee. Never knew until the next day the reason. SMITTY'S HOME MADE DO-NUTS. I have tried them since. I don't blame the gang for rushing for them. They don't get as good as home. Who is the cook SMITTY? I am still a bachelor. . . . Just found out the other eve, why TELEPHONE CHARLIE NORMAN was off his game. Like a lot more of us he had the flu. Watch the FIFTEENS from now on. . . . I notice the last three months, with Padre McAVOY stepping around THE BOWLAWAY, that there is a lot better bowling taking place. . . . Big skating party at the ARENA on Tuesday night next. Entire proceeds of the gate goes to West Lincoln Memorial hospital. . . . See where Leo

## PEACH KINGS MAKE FINE SHOW AGAINST PT. COLBORNE TEAM

The exhibition game at the Arena last Friday night should satisfy the skeptics. Or didn't you know, that there were those ardent hockey fans who still were not convinced that the Peach Kings are a bunch of good hockey players. They wondered if the Kings could stand up against some real competition. Which they did.

The Port Colborne Sailors led a pretty fair team, although a guy in the time-out isolated on telling this writer that they really were not in shape, and were just fooling around. Even I can't be that glib. If I could, I'd say that the Kings were fooling around, then I'd have to see them really go. In intermediate "A" anyhow.

Personally I do think that the Sailors expected a much different story, and they did deserve their win, but the Kings made 'em work for it and that's enough for us fans.

Highlighting the game was the goal-tending of Myrtle Shearer, the speed and "brain work" of one sleight youth, by name Kilpatrick. And the smooth allow work of the Concessor. A big "E" for effort goes to Duffy the Duffield who was really in there pitching.

Summary—First Period

Kings—Reid (Whitfield) 10-45

Reid, Jr. has made the grade into the big time. He is now playing defence with Chicago Black Hawks. The kid learned his early hockey on GRIMSBY ARENA and then played Junior O.H.A. "A" with Bramford, going from there to the minor pro level of the American Hockey Association and was picked up from there by the Hawks. His father was one of the greats of the big league for some years when playing for New York Americans. . . . PEACH QUEENS league has a new secretary. She is MARY GORDON. At least the QUEENS are out of trouble. . . . HELEN FISHER is still bowling then over the 600 mark. . . . RUTH ST. JOHN was the whole ROCHESTER team the other night and bowled alone against the VETERANS. She trounced 523 at that. What has happened to that famous SOUTH LIVEN team? ELLA FAIR celebrated the homecoming of her hubby from the war with a 363-253-261 for 765. But the VEDETTE dropped two games just the same to the VALIANTS led by our LITTLE MARY MORTON who had 253-261-215 for a 721. . . . JAMES ELFRIDA DUNHAM and his OWLS won four points on Monday night. Ain't that sompin' . . . Wow, wow. GENERALS took the WONDERS 3-1. HARRY FOX rolled 229-276 264 for a 772. SNELL had a 317-245-245 for 807. The two teams between them rolled 16 games well over the 200 mark. GENERALS had a grand total of 3258. SHUEK was going strong too with a 220-354-189 for a 763. . . . PEACH KINGS beat LLOYD HAYNES 3750 to 638. Queer things happen at THE BOWLAWAY. . . . LITTLE WHIZZER is on the ailing list again.

DETROIT REMAIN UNDEFEATED IN MINIATURE LOOP. CANADIANS MOVE UP IN STANDING. The Lions Miniature National Hockey Loop witnessed four pod games on Saturday morning last at the local ice igloo. In the opening game Chicago who had to win their first game of the season did the very thing at the expense of Boston by the score of 4 to 1. Freddie Schwab was the big gun for the Windy city crew notching two goals and playing a good game of hockey all through the piece. Richard Oella of the Boston outfit maintained his enviable record of a goal a game since the League opened. Canadians and Maple Leafs who met in the second game put on a real good show of our winter pastime and Canadians were returned the winners by a 1 to 0 score, said goal being scored by Clinton Jones. In the third game Detroit showed no mercy and whitewashed the Rangers by a 5 to 0 tally. Allan Scrivener and Clifford Schwab were the goal getters with 3 and 2 respectively. Rangers have developed a bad habit of not checking the puck carrier and unless they speedily correct this glaring tactical error they will soon drop down to the cellar.

LEAGUE STANDING

Detroit 4 4 0 0 0 8

Canadians 4 2 1 0 0 6

Maple Leafs 4 2 2 0 0 4

Boston 4 1 2 0 0 2

Chicago 4 1 3 0 0 2

N. Y. RANGERS 4 1 3 0 0 2

In the Minor Series Pittsburgh led their hands full in securing a win from Syracuse. Score, 4 to 2. Bobbie Stuart was the goal getter for the Pittsburgh crew and netted all of their counters. It is wonder to this writer that some one of the teams in the Major Series has not tabbed this boy for their team. Fred Nellemund Ronnie Wicharuk were the scorers for Syracuse.

SCHEDULE for February 2nd.

1st Game—Syracuse at Pittsburgh.

2nd Game—Boston at Maple Leafs.

3rd Game—Chicago at N. Y. Rangers.

4th Game—Canadians at Detroit.

HERE'S AN OLD TIMER—A lot of hockey fans of another day will remember when Grimsby and Beamsville hockey feuds were something to behold. Those were the days of seven man hockey, 30 minute periods and no such a thing as change players. Back in the year 1896 a poet by the name of Larry Nash wrote a poem about one of Beamsville's hockey players, Teddy Beatty, ow a resident of Toronto. Here is the effusion:

There were once in Teddy's manner as he stepped into his place, There was pride in Teddy's bearing an a smile on Teddy's face, And when responding to the cheers he came out from the rack, No stranger in the crowd could doubt, twas Teddy with the puck.

Ten thousand eyes were on him as he rubbed his hands with snow, Five thousand tongues applauded when he wiped them on his shoe, And when the sturdy coverpoint, threw the puck up in the air, The light that flashed from Teddy's eye was the color of his hair.

And now the rubber covered puck came hurtling through the air, And Teddy stood awaiting it in haughty grandeur there, He hit the puck an awful smash and through the air it sped, Ain't that a dail' said Teddy? off side, the referee said.

From the benches black with people there went a muffled roar, Like the beating of some storm warren, on a stern and distant shore, Kill him—Kill the umpire shouted Everett from the stand, And it's likely they'd have killed him had not Teddy raised his hand,

With a smile like many a congealer's great Teddy's visage shone, He stilled the rising tumult, he

made the game go on, He signalled to the referee and once more the puck it flew, It Teddy now ignored it and the umpire said goal two.

"Fraud!" cried the maddening thousands and the echoes, answered—"Fraud!"

It one scornful look from Teddy, and the audience it was awed: Try saw his face grow stern and did they saw his muscles strain, And they all expected Teddy to try his on again, (but he didn't.)

A meek is still on Teddy's face and the crowd are still as mice, He pounds with cruel vengeance his stick upon the ice, And as Billy has to peek and as he shoots and scores, The cruel umpire says no goal, says Teddy, we'll play no more. (And they didn't.)

Lawn Bowling

Phil Elder's First United four sprung a new one Friday night when they finished with an eight end to win over Grimsby by 37 to 15, winning each 10 ends. The risks: Grimsby—Brook Snyder, Wm. Schwab, Art Clark, Bert Harvey, 15.

First United—Percy Cooper, Wm. Fletcher, Bert Clary, Phil Elder, 27.

## Banzai!

Look over the score in the Men's Bowling league and see what "The Village Bunker" did the other night when his team the Boulevard took four points from the West End. Old 17 Per Cent rolled 223-250-222 for a 794. Eric, ain't his grand.

## League Fixtures In Fruit Belt

The weekly double header at the ice house saw Stop 80 team take Beamsville to camp by a six to four score. And the undefeated Grimsby Legion team slap the Winona Rangers around to an eight to one shelling.

In the opener, the 60's kept the Beamsville squad busy throughout, but the play was close until the final stanza when three quick goals put the game in the bag for the Stoppers. Scoring for "80" were: M. Baldwin, Runions, each getting a pair, while Boughton and Elms each picked up single tallies.

Beamsville goal-getters were Fice, Moore, Wilcox and Shepherd.

The second game was a practice for the Grimsby Legion, "Red" Mason appearing in the line-up, looked good to those, old eyes. Wonder what "Big Rush" thought. In the first frame, Winters, Winkemeier, and Haddock did the scoring for the Legion. B. Swick getting the one and only Ranger goal. A goal for Harlock, and two for "Red" Mason covers the second period. Winters and Joe Hand each getting a goal and an assist in the final round.

O'Donnell and Whitfield did the whistle stops.

## Peach Queens Bowling League

Victory	750	770	730-2
Golden Drop	763	664	707-1
Veterans	527	594	564-3
Rochester			default
South Haven	661	671	617-2
Mayflower	522	581	761-1
Crawford	589	736	774-3
Vanguard	524	683	764-0
Vedette	771	867	760-1
Valiant	585	947	763-2
Viney	589	683	674-2
John Hall	591	579	569-0
St. John	565	770	659-1
Victory	738	591	887-2

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## Grimsby Men's Bowling Scores

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You Do Eels	539	755	954-0
Legionaires	565	864	720-1
Owls Club	573	1120	1152-3
Monarchs	566	806	906-1
Generals	546	886	879-2
West End	544	829	912-0
Boulevard	560	963	945-4
Owls Club	561	961	963-4
Legion	550	780	880-0
Generals	924	1157	1160-3
Wonders	1110	990	918-1
St. Andrews	790	792	788-1
Barbers	985	791	804-3
Peach Kings	863	900	976-4
Legionaires			default
Hop Oats	1180	805	908-2
Pirates	784	919	1143-3
Counter Hoppers	787	904	708-0
Pie Twisters	981	1033	870-4
Firemen	856	881	1000-1
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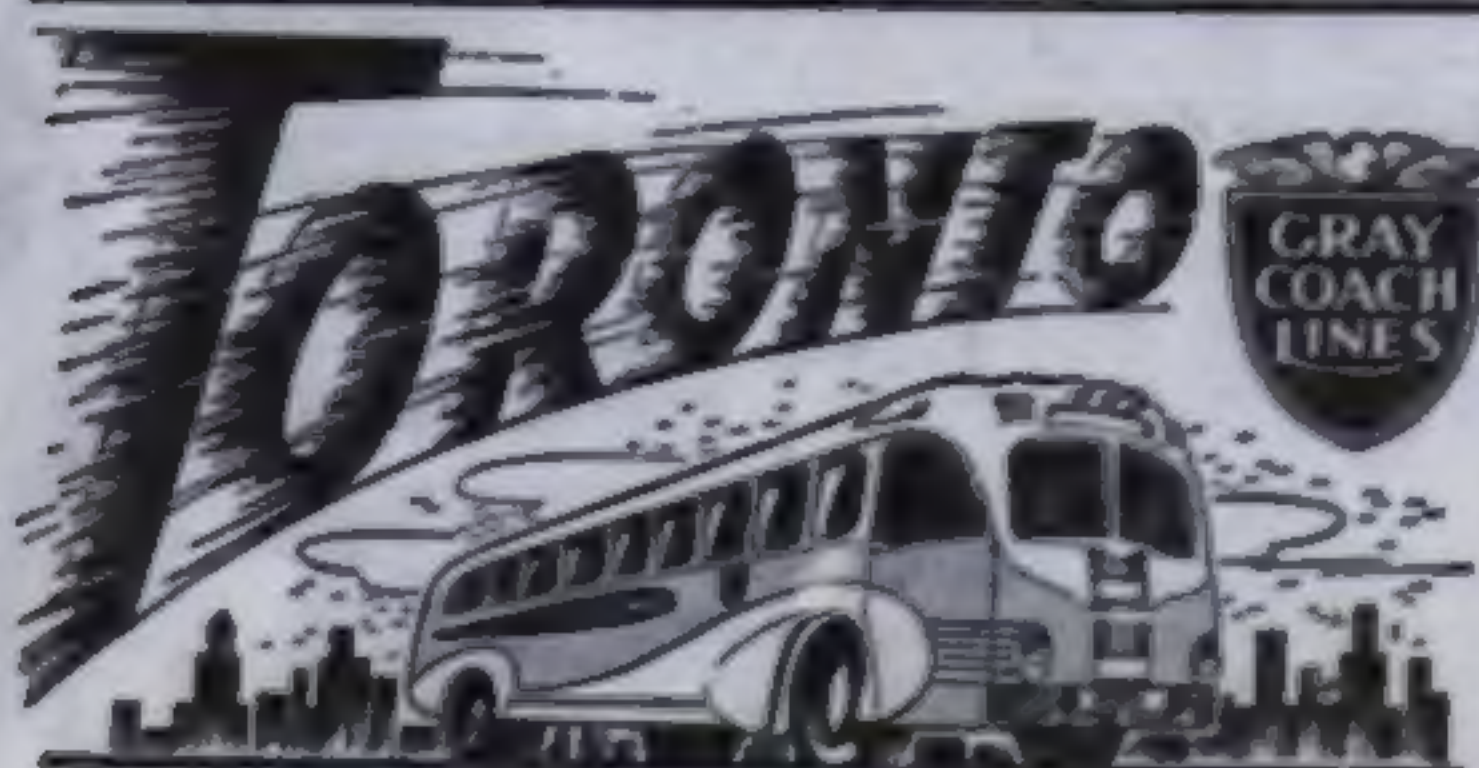
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Canada's meat tokens, symbols of exchange for rationed meat over the exact coupon value, are disappearing unaccountably. Prices Board officials declare. It would seem that many Canadians do not realize that the little blue tokens are equivalent in value to money—without them ordinary transaction cannot be carried on in butcher shops across the country.

What is happening? W.P.T.B. officials are not sure. But they do know that every week ration administrations are issuing surprisingly large quantities of tokens when it is considered that a sufficient supply was issued in the early stages of meat rationing to take care of all normal demands.

Board officials suggest that Canadians might consider these points:

Are you saving meat tokens as souvenirs? If so, it is costing you money—to manufacture other tokens takes a considerable amount of money which must come out of national funds.

Is little Johnny amusing himself by playing with tokens? Then other families may have difficulty getting the correct token change from butchers because of shortages of tokens.

Are you hoarding tokens to make bulk purchases of meat? Sometimes it is necessary to do so for festive occasions but often hoarding can become simply an automatic habit and when that happens the token distribution system breaks down.

Are you careless with tokens, leaving them lying around the house in all sorts of odd places? Then you yourself may sometime have trouble making token change and will wish you had been a little more careful.

Remember, W.P.T.B. officials say, there are plenty of tokens in Canada for all general shopping purposes—but only if they remain in free circulation. Tokens that are not in use are an inconvenience to everyone—keep them on the move to help the token supply in your neighborhood.

#### Money Weight

The legal weight of a penny is one-hundredth of an ounce, of a half-penny one-fifth of an ounce, and of a farthing one-tenth of an ounce, avoirdupois weight while a shilling weighs two-elevenths of an ounce troy.

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Grimsby	
D. Scott,	Jan. '47
Grimsby	
Mrs. W. R. Smith,	Dec. '46
Grimsby	
G. M. Beamer,	Dec. '46
Grimsby	
Keith Milliken,	Oct. '46
Winona	
Mrs. W. M. Stewart,	Jan. '47
Meaford	
N. J. M. Lockhart, M.P.	Jan. '51
St. Catharines	
E. Bedo,	Jan. '47
R. R. 1 Grimsby	
R. L. Nicholson,	Dec. '46
Grimsby	
Mrs. F. D. Aikens,	Feb. '47
Grimsby Beach	
Mrs. S. Hunt,	Dec. '46
Grimsby	
W. Jones,	Dec. '46
St. Catharines	

#### Canada Walk

Lincoln's Inn Fields, in London, which were laid out by Inigo Jones, the great architect and designer, in 1618, were thronged with Canadians during the war, for Number 20 was the headquarters of the Canadian Air Force. To commemorate this association, the north side of the Fields where Number 20 stands has been officially called Canada Walk.

#### NOTICE TO THE RATEPAYERS OF THE TOWN OF GRIMSBY

A Discount of 4 per cent per annum will be allowed on any prepayment (the whole or part) of

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The Township will be glad to accept prepayment on the 1946 Taxes.

A credit of 4% per annum is allowed on the amount of prepayment.

Any amount up to 90% of the previous 1945 Tax may be paid as the new mill rate has not been arranged.

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To see a complete show patrons must be here not later than 9 o'clock.

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**NEW MEMBERS**  
associated with this tough, brave company of men.

The work of the Medical Corps was superb, and their achievements will long be remembered by all those men who at one time or another were cared for by the Corps.

"Canadians can be great in war, they can also be great in peace, what so many men died for is what we must live for. And service clubs must give leadership to see that the following ideals be realized.

The chap who went through Hell, got a chance to earn a decent living, that the wounded men returning to Canada will get the proper care and consideration, and that those that died, so that the ideals of this Country might survive, may their sacrifice not be in vain."

The speaker concluded with the thought that, our memorial to the dead must be a world of peace and justice for all.

**WORLD'S BEST**  
than anything grown in the U.S.A. and sold at half the price of the American product. Certainly fires are still possible, but a technique has been developed by Mr. Bartlett, that will control a fire before it actually gets started.

The art of spraying to-day is a scientific problem, new insects have turned up in this country to try and create havoc with the fruit industry, and so new products have been brought in to fight this infiltration.

In 1920 Mr. Bartlett relates, he bought 18 pounds of bluestone, 10 pounds he sold to Captain W. C. Thompson. Now 100 tons of Bordeaux are sold each year. Nicotine sales annually amount to over 500 tons. Advanced methods of spraying have cut down the sale of the old lime-sulphur, although many still prefer it. Oil, nicotine for grapes, Bordeaux mixture, flotation sulphur are a few of the products most used to-day.

With the business growing, the plant grew also, until now, within

## Deputy Reeve Is Disqualified

(Smithville Review)

On Monday evening a special session of Oshesboro Township Council was held at the Township Hall, for the purpose of considering the resignation and disqualification of office signed by the Deputy-Reeve Lorne Book.

The disclaimer was signed by Mr. Book following a complaint that he held a contract with the Township for certain electrical wiring at the Township hall, which services were paid for at the January meeting. In accordance with Municipal laws, one holding a public office can receive or enter into any contract with the municipality for which he holds office.

At the special session held on Monday evening Reeve Headlin issued a warrant to the Township Clerk E. L. Snyder, requiring him to call a nomination meeting to be held on January 28th, 1946, to fill this office and if more than one candidate is nominated and qualified an election will be held on Monday, February 4th, 1946.

the next two-weeks an additional 1600 feet of floor-space will be used to further the industry. Many improvements and modern developments were needed. So now those improvements are a reality.

When the manufacturing of spraying materials was well established, Mr. Bartlett decided that there was another product that would be beneficial to the fruit industry. And so he and Peter Robinson set to work in 1931, to perfect the then unheard of peach grader. There was much criticism of these machines, but again he was successful. So much so, that to-day a peach or almost any type of fruit graded in standard equipment with most fruit growers growing fruit on a large scale. Mr. Bartlett now holds several patents on different types of graders, and as a matter of fact there is scarcely a fruit or vegetable that cannot be graded with a Bartlett grader.

The grader end of the business soon became a business in itself, and to-day graders are being turned out on an assembly-line basis. The fame of the fruit grader has been spread far and wide. And when we tell you that data on the graders has been requested from England, South Africa, New Zealand, Australia, Norway and South America, you will see that their fame has indeed got around. A recent order from Buenos Aires was recently turned down, due to the impossibility of shipping. Cornell and Minnesota Universities have received their graders, and Cornell has taken color sound films of the apple grader and how it functions, and have been showing this film in the U.S.A.

The Chazy Orchards of Chazy, N.Y. recently ordered one of the largest box-packing apple graders manufactured at the Bartlett plant. The Chazy Orchards are famous for their 34,000 McIntosh apple trees.

Practically all co-operatives and co-d storage plants now use a Bartlett grader, and Quebec recently put in a \$20,000 order for graders.

The N. M. Bartlett firm is the only manufacturer of graders in Canada, and the product is worthy of this distinction. Even so the business will be greatly expanded as soon as materials and man power is available, and speaking of manpower brings us to the personal department of the N. M. Bartlett plant.

One man who started with Mr. Bartlett way back in 1916 is still with him, and his services are invaluable. Melvin Coverdale will probably take a look at the plant to-day and try and picture how it looked back there when the lime sulphur was first made by the full-time. A son, Jim Bartlett is now the plant foreman, with daughter Evelyn taking care of the front office, which also has come in for the utmost in modern office equipment and designing.

Mr. Bartlett himself will hardly rest on his laurels, and a common sight is to see the boss out working around the plant, or perhaps in the grader room, where who knows another Bartlett invention that will further assist the fruit grower might come forth.

So you have no industry in Clinton. We beg to differ. 23 men, all from Beamsville and Clinton Township are working at this point a mile north-east of the Village, and there is going to be an opening for more shortly.

**Out To Lunch**  
A columnist in the Women's Wear Daily tells the following story:

A customer walked up to the retail counter where there were two salesgirls—both very busily engaged. One was applying lipstick, and the other was knitting. Refraining from making a sarcastic remark, the customer politely asked if she could be served. Without dropping a stitch, the knitter replied: "Sorry, madame, but we're both out to lunch!"

In food for thought, many a man can't stand too rich a diet.



Holla, Housewives! Organization of the work to be done is the best way to approach any job—even the family laundry. With a decided plan, your big job falls into several small jobs, so one of which seems overwhelming. You also save time by eliminating waste motion.

What jobs need to be done before actual washing? All mending should be done beforehand, because tears and rips are likely to enlarge discouragingly during the washing process. All stains should be removed because soapy water sets many stains.

How should I sort clothes before washing? White clothes: (1) table linen; (2) sheets, pillow cases, lightly soiled towels; (3) cotton underwear, shirts, heavy soiled towels. Coloured clothes: (1) light coloured; (2) dark-coloured; (3) colours that may run. Set aside fine fabrics for special handling as stained clothes for treatment.

What can be done about very hard water? Soft water requires less soap and makes clothes whiter than hard water. Washing soda and trisodium phosphate are good water softeners but should not be used in washing rayon or part wool and rayon fabrics. Some "brand" softeners may be used for all fabrics and colours but should be used according to directions. Too much softener may turn fabrics yellow.

Do clothes have to be soaked? Soaking loosens soil, and therefore is helpful in washing dirty clothes. A fifteen-minute soaking in ample and cool water is better than hot for this purpose.

How to keep white clothes white? Hot washing water, the right amount of soap, thorough rinsing and wringing are the answers to that question. Fill the

machine two-thirds full of hot water. If you use a water softener add the correct amount according to the manufacturer's directions. Measure soap allowing enough to make a 3-inch suds after machine has been operated for about 2 mins. Do not use more soap than needed. Wash a few clothes at one time—for a good washing, clothes must move freely through the suds. Operate the machine from 10 to 15 mins, depending on amount of soil in clothes—20 mins. for stubborn dirt. Before adding another load to machine, be sure water is hot, soapy and not too dirty. Rinse clothes three times in soft or softened water, hot, warm, then cool. Soap left in a fabric turns it yellow. If you wish to add bluing, add it sparingly, according to manufacturer's directions. Keep clothes in motion while bluing to prevent streaking. A plunger is useful to assist in forcing out soapy water.

How do I keep colours clear and bright? First make sure colours are tub-fast by soaking a small sample piece in warm water 10 mins. If colours run, handle the garment separately. Before washing soak it in salt and water or baking soda and water for a few minutes. The wash water should be only lukewarm and the cleaning should be done in a few minutes. Wring as dry as possible after rinsing and dry quickly.

Why are clothes starched? The purpose of starching is to restore the original finish to fabrics. As starch gives a smooth surface that repels dirt and stains, it is especially desirable for housewives, aprons and children's clothes. Many women like to starch linens very lightly. Clothes should be starched after the last rinse. Proper quantities are impossible to list because the amount of starch a

garment absorbs varies with the weave and weight of the material and the temperature of the water. You have to learn by experience. Remember that the hotter the starch the more will be absorbed. Use a warm, thin starch solution. Wring out as much as possible and let starched clothes dry thoroughly before sprinkling.



SUN.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THU.	FRI.	SAT.
Chicken and Dumplings	Pot Roast of Beef	Chicken Short-cakes	Meat Croquettes	Lamb Chops	Fish	Beef & Veal Loaf
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